Appreciable gains west, north and east of crest 196, northeast of Mes-nil-les-Hurlus. The enemy delivered a counter attack, which was repulsed. The ground gained by us was extended into the ravine run-ning from crest 196 in the direction

Verdun, we carried two German trenches and made many prisoners. At Hartmannsweiler Kopf we have gained some ground as com-pared with the positions hitherto held by us. The losses of the enemy have been very large. The German trenches are full of dead.

The afternoon statement by the War Office told of further progress made by the Belgians toward Dixmude, the shellng of Notre Dame de Lorette and Car munique said

The Belgian army continued its progress on the Yser. Its artillery bombarded one of the enemy's convoys on the road from Dixmude to

From the Lys to the Oise there was artillery action. The enemy bombarded in particular the spur of the hill at Notre Dame de Lorette and the villages of Carnoy and

Ations in the Champagne.
In Lorraine there was an artillery duel. One of our aviators bom-barded the railway station at Con-

GERMANS TO AVENGE

German village burned by the Russians. The statement is as follows:

Western Theatre of War.

A French advance against ou the Lorette Hills was repulsed. Partial French attacks in Cham-pagne, to the north of Le Mesnil, were brought to a standstill by a counter attack. A fresh French attack which was begun there last

satian town of Schlettstadt. On one bomb took effect, falling on seminary conducted by women teachers, killing two children and German aviators last night dropped

Eastern Theatre of War.

tions between the Pissa and Orzyc West of the Skwa River we took 900 prisoners of war, and east of the Skwa 1.000 prisoners and four

machine guns.
Hordes of the Russian imperial
militia gained a cheap victory by inling the most northern corner of st Prussia in the direction of russia in the direct They pillaged and i villages and estates. As a retalia-tory measure towns on Russian territory occupied by us will be comnelled to make payment of large ms. For every village burned these Russian hordes on Gerestroyed three villages or es uildings at Sawalki and vincial capitals in Ger-

von Bissing not to comment pay creditors in England

Intrained Landsturm tailed.

MISTAKE AIDS MEDICINE.

Scientist Discovers New Method of the for

which will kill the louse which transmits epotted typhus. The discovery was made through the mistake of a servant in Prof. Fraenkel's laboratory, who filled a bottle with anisol instead of with anisol inste

preparations merely disperse the lica decision sculptor and do not kill them.

BRITON GIVES PRAISE HYDROPLANES USED TO GERMAN BRAVERY IN MINE SWEEPING

Kaiser Lost 19,700 Men at Turkish Obstructions in Dar-Neuve Chapelle, "Eyewitness" Declares.

THREE PRINCES KILLED FLEET'S BIG GUNS SILENT

ness" narrative of the recent battle in London, March 18 .- An Athens deswhich the town of Neuve Chapelle was patch to the Daily Mail says eleven miles captured by the British the statement of the Dardanelies, including the basin is made that the German losses on that of Dardanos, have been cleared, but the field were 19,700 men, of whom 1,700 Turks are launching floating mines dally were taken prisoners. This additional It is stated that waterplanes are greatly account of the conflict is highly grati- assisting the sweepers in locating mines. fying to the public for it shows that the German lines can be broken if

A despatch from Tenedos to the Daily

its attack, after 350 guns had literally stage of the Dardanelles operations is blown the Germans' trenches into bits, now to begin. In order to reach a posithe bodies of more than 2,500 Germans tion from which a direct bombardment were counted. The "eyewitness" pays of the forts at Chanak and opposite that a high tribute to the bravery of the place can be carried out the fleet must Kaiser's troops. The narrative follows:
"On March 11 the action at Neuve of the shore batteries. Besides the dan-

Chapelle assumed the form of incessant efforts on the part of the enemy to regain the ground he had lost. The only result was to enable us to make slight further progress. On the morning of March 12 German counter attacks were renewed on the whole front all around the villages and also north of it.

"On March 11 the action at Neuve of the shore batteries. Besides the danger from the forts and batteries, which is known, there is also the possibility that the Turks may have concealed gun positions on shore and torpedo tubes which they will use only when ships are in the narrow passage.

"The forts are believed to be open on the land side and once there, with the European shore subdued and occu-

Czar's Troops.

the village and also north of it.

"These resulted in great losses for the European shore subdued and occupied, the reduction of the forts on the Asiatic side will be more simple, as the European cliffs are higher and the exhaustion and many on the attacking line held up their hands when we opened fire. Our infantry stormed a strong position near Moulin du Pietre. About office announces that the Germans will destroy three Russian villages for every German villages humed by the Pursioner a trench and took eighty prisoners.

which we gained by a sudden attack

had been arriving continuously since the 10th attempted to beat us back, but all attacks failed. The German reenforcements were thrown into the fight.

n the Astor last night. There was no Porte. Spirited raps at sympathizers with the Allies' cause flew thick and fast in the speeches of the evening both in German and in English. The only speakers Dynamiting Case Held to Be in

Fighting Spotted Typhus.

Special Cable Despatch to The Sus.

Venuce, March 18.—Prof. Fraenkel of Vienna has discovered a preparation of the properties of the feelings of the defence having refused to plend. The prosecution rested after present-

self, the work of Arnold Kuenne, a TELLS OF RUSSIAN ROUT.

danelles Easily Seen From Above Surface.

Special Cable Despatch to THE ST

Mail of yesterday's date says:

When the British infantry launched . The most critical and dangerous

sition near Moulin du Pietre. Adoct history nity soldiers armed with bombs rushed a trench and took eighty prisoners.

"In the afternoon German resistance weakened and in some cases entire companies surrendered. Many men, companies surrendered. Many men, companies surrendered. Many men, companies weepers and colliers and that their trenches were full of water. They said that some companies had lost all their officers and that whole battalions had been wiped out.

"The effect of our bombardment may be judged from the fact that on March 10, when our men approached the German trenches from Neuve Chapelle, some of the survivors crawled out upon the ground holding up their hands. They were utterly dazed. The village had been converted to a shambles. The streets were piled high with wreckage and corpses.

Is insulation, which waterplane ships, mine sweepers and colliers. There have been wars enough fought on these bloods at hundredth part of such powers of destruction.

"In the middle of the whole fleet, long and black, rising two above two at each end of the ship, you see the great 15-inch guns of the Queen Elizabeth, the mightiest cannon afloat.

"All these terrible instruments have been so quiet in the last few days that one might forget their capabilities."

The London newspapers caution the people that the taking of the Dardanelle si likely to be a slow affair, in the accomplishment of which the Allies must pay a heavy price, just as they have done at Neuve Chapelle. It is and corpses.

'In spite of our successes in certain localities the Germans continued to hold firm and resist our attacks with the utmost determination. The net results of operations in this quarter were that the ground originally pained was main-porous.

Special Cable Despatch to THE St with bombs.

"We achieved this gain with trifling loss taking a position about half a mile in length. This represented a gain of about 300 yards from our original their respondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a despatch dated yesterday, says that the Turks believed the Allies would begin in length. This represented a gain of about 300 yards from our original trenches. On the night of March 12-13 the Germans attempted to retake their old position, but their attacks were reforms are worked entirely by Germans. "For three days the enemy, backed by a severe bombardment and strong reenforcements from many units that had been arriving continuous."

A despatch from American are worked entirely by Germans, who have howitzers mounted on rail-road trains so that they can be concentrated at any point with great speed. all attacks failed. The German reenforcements were thrown into the fight as they arrived on the field.

"The German losses are estimated at 19,700, of this number 1,700 being prisoners."

Another prisoner said that three German princes had been killed in the battle. One was Prince Frederick Leopold of Hohenzollern, a cousin of the Kaiser, who was a Lieutenant in an infantry regiment.

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Telegraaf quotes German newspass announcing that the untrained sturm of the years 1850 and 1852 been called to the colors.

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Bangor. Me., March 18.—Counsel for Werner Horn, the German reservist who attempted to blow up the railroad bridge at Vanceboro, failed to-day to not foot here and with another there it you would be a loyal and useful citizen in your adopted country." This does not prevent German Americans from upholding the honor of their native land, the former Colonial Minister of Germany added

Prolonged groams at the mention of ground with a country was Districted in the colors.

Bangor. Me., March 18.—Counsel for Werner Horn, the German reservist who attempted to blow up the railroad bridge at Vanceboro, failed to-day to not explosive dismissed as being outside to jurisdiction of the Federal Court. The motion was made before United to allow the defence to present evidence under its motion to dismiss and ordered the hearing to proceed on a plea of not grantly avertaged formally by the country was all the mention of the press.

AUSTRIANS INVESTING HERE. | Vienna Says Several Companies Were Annihilated. .

STRIKE STOPS THAMES SHIPS.

Royal Family Said to Have Placed
\$11,000,000.

Twelve Steamers Tied Lp by

Stevedores' Wage Demand.

Special Cable Despatch to The Sus.

London, March 18.—The steamship
Anaryen which has been detained in the thowns for three weeks was released to the towns for three weeks was released in the steamships engaged in urgent Government work are idle in the Thames in consequence of a strike of stevedores over the question of wages.

There is no ready money in Austria and several archdukes and archduch-esses who offered private houses and chateaux for sale are unable to find purchased.

The tollowing official statement was issued by the War office to-night:

"On the heights west of Labreozrev an attack by numerically superior forces a

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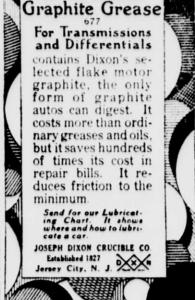
U. S. MERELY

RUSSIANS AGAIN

The statement says In Russian Poland, on the front between the Rivers Skwa and Orzyo, in the region of the villages of Serafin, Tartak, Wack and Zloof Serafin. Tartak, Wack and Ziomek, and also in the region north
of Przasnysz, the fighting continues.
We have seized several villages
and heights, and taken five guns,
forty-two machine guns, many caissons and hundreds of prisoners.
On the right bank of the Niemen
battles have been fought near Tauroggen and on German territory on
the roads leading from Gorzda to
Memel. We captured here two guns,
four machine guns, two automobiles loaded with ammunition, and
prisoners.
On the left bank of the Vistlage

duel. On the Bzura River and in the Pilitza region, near Boguslawoff

DIXONS



AUSTRIA FEARS TO FROM JAPAN Military Reasons Adduced to

Justify Retention Until War Is Over.

due partly to rumors which all Japanese attribute to German influence. Whether German or Chinese scaremongers were chiefly to blame or the

Japanese atmosphere of mystery and the stringent censorship were about equally guilty it would be difficult to operations in this quarter were that the ground originally gained was maintained, while we made further progress in some quarters and took 660 more are about 180,000 Turkish all along our front.

'There are about 180,000 Turkish flower are about 180,000 Turkish all along our front.

'The description of the will be seen. These flagures do not include those killed in Neuve Chapelle, where many bodies were buried in the incoccupied by us at L'Epinette, which we gained by a sudden attack.

It seems undeniable that German influence controls a considerable part of the clinese press and it is certain the German influence controls a considerable part of the clinese press and it is certain the clines press and it is certain the fine controls a considerable part of the clinese press and it is certain to the clines press and it is certain to the clinese press and it is certain to the The rumor, it now seems, had no foundation at all except possibly that Japan is at present engaged in the annual operation of relieving her railway guards in Manchuria, sending out the shares Austria's point of view on this talk the subject and opposes the immediate cestired way have the proof operation of the proof options. grounds of self-interest Japanese leaders

The Tribuna editorially that Austria's proposal has been re- t jected, while the Giornale d Italia, he says. owned by Baron Sonnino, Minister of GERMANY NOT ACTIVE. Foreign Affairs, confirms the report that Russia the negotiations of Prince von Bulow, Prof. Jeremiah W. Jenks, director of the German Ambassador, have been

following statement yesterday on the Chino-Japanese situation:

"I can say positively and authoritively that Germany has not intrigued in any way to disrupt the friendly relations is determined to resort to war if necessity."

that there is not the least foundation for reports that German influence has dictated or affected the policy of the Pekin Meanwhile Prince von Bulow is a

\$260,000,000 a Month, Says

Finance Minister.

special Cable Despatch to THE SUS

Finance, in proposing in the Chamber face of Belgium awaits italy if she conceasing bonds, said England was reading \$7,500,000 daily and expects spend \$8,500,000 every day soon. The excess of expenditures over response to the reading and the spend \$8,500,000 every day soon. nenditures over receipts was \$250,000.000 ment, which are lead to be contrary to one and \$260,000.000 respectively. The expenditures are certain to increase, owing to the Dardanelles expedition which M. Ribot said must be pursued vigorously and will have considerable imowing to the Dardanelles expedition, which M. Ribot said must be pursued vigorously and will have considerable importance. The custom receipts show a deficit of only 15 per cent. Indirect contributions to the deficit amount to 19 per cent. Continuing, the Finance Minister said:

"We demanded \$600,000,000 from the Bank of France during the first months of the war and the public subscribed."

The august In TRIESTE.

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**Cleaning up Panama. to the effect that the new commission is the most comprehensive sandary enterprise ever undentaken. Initial expenses have been problems to be gifts of \$25,000 each to the American Red Cross and the Rockefeller Foundation. Further funds will be alsed through the Service as follows:

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"The country is now making a necessary effort by subscribing from its based laine, from which the gold is commencing to come. It is not coming from the large banks, but from the small savings banks."

The Chamber voted the extension and also the advances to allied or friendly countries.

Amend Is—The Province continuation in the Province of George with 4,000 August in the John of August in Servin are typhus and cholers. The Province of George with 4,000 August in the serving the unotheral bourse at Treeste."

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YIELD TRENT NOW

the Far Eastern Bureau gave out the following statement yesterday on the Chino-Japanese situation:

"Italy," this paper satisfied with the pre-

thanked him cordially:
Seventy deputies, including several former Ministers, tendered a luncheon to the Belgian Member of Parliamera in Servia.

Horror Worse Than War Now Flaying Servians

Capt. Bennet of British Red Cross Tells of the Awful Plight of People Who Are Succumbing by Tens of Thousands to Disease.

AUSTRIAN PRISONERS ARE EQUAL SUFFERERS

London, March 18.—Capt. Bennet of spread epidemics." London, March 18.—Capt. Bennet of the British Red Cross Commission to Servia contributes to the Daily Mail an account of the situation in that country, added in the suppression of country, and the suppression of country and the suppression of the suppression and the suppression an giving the impression that the ravages churian pneumone plague of disease threaten the Servians far lonica with 10,000 anti-chol ments. Others who will leave more seriously than the war.

Capt. Bennet says that there is an almost entire lack of hospitals, doctors, nurses, medicines and surgical supplies. He describes the Uskub Vailey as "the valley of the shadow of death."

In the English hospital," he adds, "six doctors and twelve orderlies, without a nurse to help, tried to do the impossible and failed. They took charge of 1,800 sick and wounded. Three doctors and trace orderlies only remain and the hospital has been abandoned."

The account says the Austrian prisoners are sharing the sufferings of the Servians and that the latter are kind and generous toward the prisoners, who number many thousands giving them the same rations as their own soldiers re-

TWO FOUND GUILTY

The prisoners admit that the do what shey can, but "when the for enteric fever is fastened upon the Austrian takes his chance with

ospital but simply an area where Austrians are collected. Disease has tor was in charge, but he is down now. Cook and Madden. Convicted, various forms of infectious maladies raging unchecked. The devastating Are to Be Sentenced is may be seen from the fact that twenty men out of 759 could stand week. They lie in utter wretched-Here and there one finds a mathotel, and Richard Ma

uddy ground, their clothes foul and hotel, and Hichard live with vermin, which spreads the also from Hoboken. pestilence through the camp.
The silence is broken only by sighs in the United State The silence is broken only by sighs and groans. When a stranger comes into sight the sick taise themselves on their elbows if they can and cry pitifully. For the love of God, lady, give us water. For God's sake, sir, give us water, recent visitor noticed a property of the put the side of the side The verdict of the B PETROGRAD, March 18.—The Russians | Say | It seems undeniable that German in- despatch published by the Tribuad, as move the corpses. Here and there a passport case on recogning to the Chinese press and it is certain that tensible a telegram from Vienna but poor wretch crawled on hands and knees | Carl Ruroede was

> untry which it is virtually impossible approach because of the stanch. Design of the condition if the interior are instituted limbs, are thrown over a wall and left for the crows and the trish dogs. Sixty-three Servian documents and Control of the courts attention might have a decided by conviction.
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> After sentence has been added a sixty-three Servian documents. parish dogs. Sixty-three Servian doctors have died of disease since the war, he says. He mentions appreciatively the help from America and urgently.
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> After sentence has been of Madden and Cook a plea of he entered by Stegler the head of the plot.
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> Stepler's full story will then

Servian Prince Grateful to U.S. out at the trial, although erence was made to him se Assistant United States At

King's Nephew, Wounded in treme penalty years in jail or In Summing up

TERROR IN EGYPT.

Describes Overenants (namely and the proposal with great and possible proposal with the proposal with the

AMERICANS TO AID.

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m by of Surgeon-General William Colorgas, U.S.A., the sanitary commissioner who distinguished himself by "cleaning up Panama." to the effect that

GREEN STRIPE SCOTCH

peals to Great Britain, France and before the court. He has serted that he was encour

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also the advances to allied or friendly key on the side of the Allies

Countries.

Without naming Germany, M. Ribot sugmatized lears made on paper money as combinations allowing the double use of a single security.

Persian Cabinet Resigns.

The Ricketeile Foundation has been informed by its war relief commission that the conditions of destination in Servia beggar description, but that even the destitution is overshad.

Ask for the Non-rotal mission that the conditions of destination in Servia beggar description, but that even the destitution is overshad.